

President Putin rewarding double-primary thermonuclear warhead designer Yuri Trutnev, November 17, 2017

Yuri Trutnev, *The creation of nuclear* weapons is a special work, RIA Novosti, 11/22/2017, https://ria.ru/20171122/1509304656.html

"But in the meantime, I already had another idea in my head - a more advanced product based on a new principle for designing a thermonuclean charge. After testing the RDS-37, the next day in the evening I called my friend and colleague Yuri Nikolaevich Babaev to the bank of the Irtysh and said: "Yura. let's try to do just such a thing." And he agreed. We returned to Sarov and drew a charge diagram and proposed it. This product received an index of 49. ... Zeldovich had three failures of thermonuclear units during tests in a row! ... The test of product 49 took place on the Day of the Soviet Army, February 23, 1958 at the test site on Novaya Zemlya. The success was very big."



Warhead for the first multiple reentry vehicle of a sea-launched ballistic missile. As part of the product, a small-sized thermonuclear charge and devices of the automation system, which have minimal dimensions, are used. Among the developers, the project was called "One Hundred per Hundred" (to accommodate 100 kilotons of power in 100 kg of charge). The dense layout of the components of the warhead made it possible to create a light and small-sized product that meets the requirements for placing three warheads on one launch vehicle. The mass of the warhead is 170 kg; the 1 kt/kg objective suggests it has a yield of 170 kt if design yield was achieved. The product was put into service in 1974.



The first warhead of a multiple reentry vehicle with individual aiming at aiming points, weight 210 kg. The product was put into service in 1978. Again, the 1 kt/kg objective suggests 210 kt.



SLBM non-MIRV, weight 650 kg, 1 Mt. Put in service in 1974.

These examples suggest that dual linear imploded primary devices gave 1 kt/kg; dual spherical primaries gave 1.5 kt/kg.





КБ-2 ВНИИТФ разработано

~ 90

ядерных боеприпасов разных типов и назначений

(KB-2 VNIITF DEVELOPED 90 NUCLEAR WEAPONS FOR ALL PURPOSES) (100% OF ALL STRATEGIC BOMBS, 100% OF ALL TACTICAL BOMBS, 100% SHELLS)

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PBCH

ЯБП РВСН

20%

VNIITF RUSSIAN NUCLEAR WEAPONS SUMMARY FILM

Рабочая группа 80



(English: Working group 80)

Фильм посвящается

(English: This film is dedicated to)

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(... To the 60th Anniversary of Victory)













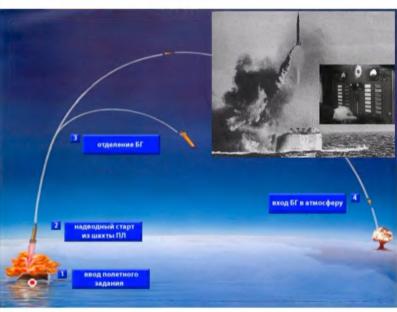


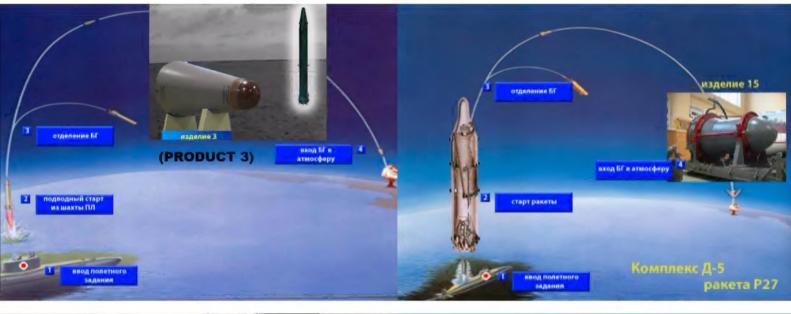






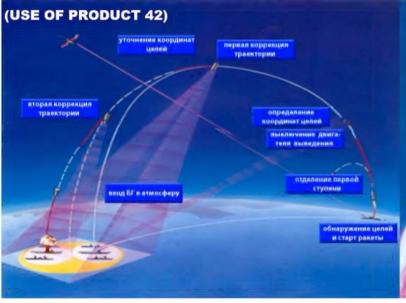






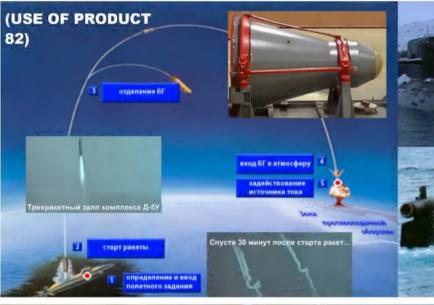


















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Защитными свойствами от действия ударной волны обладают также танки, БТР

При невозможности использовать защитные свойства различных сооружений следует применять элементарные меры защиты. Так как для незащищенного человека наибольшую опасность представляет скоростной напор, то целесообразно до подхода ударной волны лечь на землю лицом вниз, головой или ногами в сторону взрыва. При этом площадь поперечного сечения уменьшается примерно в 10 раз, а воздействие скоростного напора будет минимальным.

Воздействие скоростного напора снижают различные углубления (кюветы, ямы, воронки и др.) или невысокие прочные стенки, пни и другие предметы, за которыми можно укрыться.

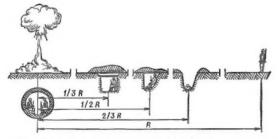


Рис. 1.8. Защитные свойства полевых фортификационных сооружений от воздушной ударной волны ядерного взрыва

CIVIL DEFENSE

В реальных условиях нынешнего положения России в мировом сообществе и состояния российской армии

ядерное оружие России остается надежным гарантом стратегической стабильности в мире, независимости, целостности военной и экономической

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Textbook

2014 г.

Tanks, armored personnel carriers also have protective properties against the action of a shock wave and BMP

If it is impossible to use the protective properties of various structures elementary protective measures should be applied. Since high-speed pressure is the greatest danger for an unprotected person, it is advisable to lie on the ground face down. head or feet in the direction of the explosion before the shock wave approaches. At the same time, the cross-sectional area is reduced by about 10 times, and the impact of the high-speed pressure will be minimal.

The impact of high-speed pressure is reduced by various depressions (ditches, pits, funnels, etc.) or low strong walls, stumps and other objects behind which you can hide.

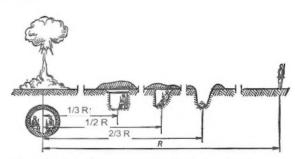


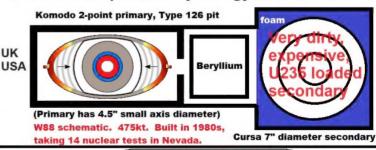
Figure 1.8. Protective properties of field fortifications from the TRANSLATION FROM PUTIN'S 2014 CD BOOK air shock wave of a nuclear explosion

Difference in basic design of UK/USA versus Russian Mirv's

Anisotropic (unequal from all directions) x-rays on 2nd stage:

What happens if you have only one primary stage and no channel foam Secondary stage Net "Shadow Primary force (This is not a problem for cylindrical sausage design)

In USA and UK warheads, low density plastic foam is used to disperse x-ray energy into the shadows:



SECONDARY STAGE Russia RUSSIAN MIRV: Channel foam is not needed

Second stage is not uniformly compressed due to x-ray shadow on side furthest from primary stage.

23 Feb 1958: first test of double-primary design. Babaev, Russian book Heroes of the atomic project

Ю. Н. Бабаев был крупнейшим специалистом в области создания атомных и термоядерных зарядов. В 1955 г. совместно с Ю. А. Трутневым он сформировал новое направление в создании термоядерных зарядов с кардинально улучшенными характеристиками. В 1958 г. была успешно завершена экспериментальная отработка первого заряда нового типа.

Этой работе предшествовали большие теоретические исследования по физическому обоснованию и математическому расчету различных процессов, которые были во многом еще неясными. Были сформулированы задачи на разработку новых программ для расчетов. За создание нового направления и разработку термоядерных зарядов в 1959 г. Ю. Н. Бабаев был удостоен звания лауреата Ленинской премии.

В 1961-1962 гг. Юрием Николаевичем и его коплегами были разработаны новые, более совершенные заряды. Большая часть этих зарядов до сих пор находится на вооружении Российской Армии. За участие в разработке ряда термоядерных зарядов с высокими удельными характеристиками Ю. Н. Бабаеву в 1962 г. было присвоено звание Героя Социалистического Труда с вручением ордена Ленина и золотой медали "Серп и Молот". В этом же году ему была присуждена ученая степень доктора технических наук, а 1968-м он становитчленом-корреспондентом АН СССР.

Под руководством Ю. Н. Бабаева в последующие годы были разработаны новые ядерные и термоядерные заряды различного назначения для оснащения большинства родов войск Вооруженных Сил СССР. Он многократно участвовал в испытаниях термоядерных зарядов на полигонах МО как специалист и как руководитель. Его вклад в разработку зарядов неоценим

Translation from Russian to English

Yu. N. Babayev was the largest specialist in the field of creating atomic and thermonuclear charges. In 1955, together with Yu. A. Trutney, he formed a new direction in the creation of thermonuclear charges with radically improved characteristics. In 1958. the experimental testing of the first row of a new type was successfully completed.

This work was preceded by extensive theoretical research on the physical justification and mathematical calculation of various processes, which were still largely unclear. Tasks for the development of new programs for calculations were formed . For the creation of a new direction and the development of thermonuclear charges in 1959, Yu. N. Babaev was awarded the title of Lenin Prize laureate

B 1961-1962 Yuri Nikolaevich and his colleagues have developed new, more advanced charges. Most of these charges are still in service with the Russian Army, For his participation in the development of a number of thermonuclear charges with high specific characteristics, Yu. N. Babayev was awarded the title of Hero of Socialist Labor in 1962 with the award of the Order of Lenin and the gold medal "Sickle and Mopot". In the same year he was awarded the degree of Doctor of Technical Sciences, and in 1968 he became a corresponding member of the USSR Academy of Sciences.

Under the leadership of Yu. N. Babayev, new nuclear and thermonuclear charges of various values were developed in subsequent years to equip most branches of the Armed Forces of the USSR. He repeatedly participated in the tests of thermonuclear missiles at the landfills of the Ministry of Defense as a specialist and as a leader. His contribution to the development of charges is invaluable

IN 2005, RUSSIA DECLASSIFIED DOUBLE-PRIMARY TECHNOLOGY FIRST TESTED 23 FEBRUARY 1958 AND STILL IN USE TODAY:

По инициативе Ю. Н. Бабаева и Ю. А. Трутнева и под их руководством во ВНИИЭФ были разработаны термоядерные заряды для народнохозяйственных цепей - заряды с минимальной осколочной радиоактивностью. Некоторые из них были применены для создания водохранилищ, гашения газовых факелов, интенсификации газовых и нефтяных месторождений и т. д.

Большая теоретическая работа была проведена им по использованию ядерных вэрывов для наработки делящихся материалов.

Дальнейшим направлением работ Ю. Н. Бабаева было коренное усовершенствование ядерных зарядов — двойной подход. Была разработана теория, усовершенствованы методы расчета и т. д. Такие термоядерные заряды были более просты по конструкции и технологии изготовпения. Они были испытаны, но работали не всегда стабильно и требовали доводки, но Юрий Николаевич не успел этого сделать.

Ю. Н. Бабаев внес колоссальный вклад в развитие теоретических двумерных программ, что способствовало созданию математического аппарата. Его деятельность была мощным стимулом для развития расчетов сложнейших математических задач и физических процессов. Он много работал в смежных областях. Занимался лазерной тематикой: накачкой лазеров от ядерного варыва. Интересовался он и биологией, влиянием радиации на человека и окружающую среду. Были у него и предложения по выведению в космос аппаратов военного назначения.

Ю. Н. Бабаев вырастил большую плеяду молодых ученых, кандидаи докторов наук, которые сегодня успешно продолжают его дело.

В 2000 г. по завершении одной из разработок, в которой Юрий Николаевич принимал непосредственное участие, ему была присуждена Государственная премия РФ (посмертно). Он награжден двумя орденами Ленина, орденом Трудового Красного Знамени, медалью "За трудовую доблесть".

At the initiative of Yu. N. Babaev and Yu. A. Trutnev and under their leadership, thermonuclear charges for national economic chains were developed at VNIIEF - charges with minimal scoping radioactivity. Some of them were used to create reservoirs, extinguish gas flares, intensify gas and oil fields, etc.

A lot of theoretical work was carried out by him on the use of nuclear explosions for the development of fissile materials

The further direction of Yu. N. Babayev's work was the radical improvement of nuclear charges - a dual approach. The theory was developed, calculation methods were improved, etc. Such thermonuclear charges were simpler in design and manufacturing technology. They were tested, but they did not always work stably and required fine-tuning, but Yuri Nikolaevich did not have time to do this

Yu. N. Babaev made a copossal contribution to the development of theoretical deumeric programs, which contributed to the creation of a mathematical apparatus. His activity was a powerful incentive fo the development of calculations of the most complex mathematical problems and physical processes. He worked a lot in related fields. He was engaged in laser subjects: pumping laser from a nuclear explosion. He was also interested in biology, the effect of radiation on humans and the environment. He also had proposals for launching military vehicles into space.

Yu. N. Babayev has raised a large galaxy of young scientists, candidates and doctors of sciences, who today successfully continue his work.

In 2000, upon completion of one of the developments in which Yuri Nikolayevich took a direct part, he was awarded the State Prize of the Russian Federation (posthumously). He was awarded two Orders of Lenin, the Order of the Red Banner of Labor, and the medal)

After double primaries detonation















1st ever Russian MIRV warhead, 210 kg each; first put into service in 1978.



Russian 370 kg thermonuclear warhead for missiles, put into service in 1978.



Monoblock warhead of the first megaton range missile for submarines, 650 kg, year 1974



1st Russian MIRV for SLBM submarine missiles, put into service in 1974: mass is 170 kg, a small-sized thermonuclear charge allows placing three warheads on one launch vehicle



Monoblock warhead for use against ships and shore bases, 690 kg, 1975



Monoblock head: 406 kg, entered service in 1974.



650 kg 1968 SLBM warhead



40 kt tactical nuclear warhead, 1960: length 287 cm, midsection diameter 88 cm, mass 950 kg (Much heavier than American designs for such a low yield!)



1962: first mass-produced Russian aircraft dropped megaton yield strategic thermonuclear weapon





1963 deployed Russian megaton SLBM warhead, length 230 cm, diameter 130.4 cm. Mass 1144 kg.



Russian 50 megaton bomb, 30 tons, 2x8m size, tested at half power on December 24, 1962, Novaya Zemlya.



First ever Russian 40 kt nuclear warhead for an intermediate-range ballistic missile, 1200 km range, withdrawn from service 1960.





2 megaton warhead for ICBMs, range 12,000 km, 1970 to 1979.



First ever Russian thermonuclear warhead for an intercontinental ballistic missile, 3 megatons yield, 8500 km range, in operation 1960 to 1966.







ABOVE:
RDS1 tested
29 August
1949.
Lower right
shows
designer
Khariton at
the museum
with this copy

TSAR BOMBA: 100 mt (dirty U238 pusher on central secondary charge) or 50 mt (lead pusher)











Transportation of warhead bus to a Russian ICBM silo

МИНИСТЕРСТВО РОССИЙСКОЙ ФЕДЕРАЦИИ ПО АТОМНОЙ ЭНЕРГИМ

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рия. Для этого на заволе Института была создана специальная физичес кая установка ФО-24, сконструкрованная группой специальная физичес конструкторского боро ВНИИТФ под руководством Б. В. Литвичова и П.А. Есина Физический отвятс использованием этой установки был проведен 04-02 1965 г. на Семипалатическом политове. В этом эксперименте, возможно, впервые в мире было осуществлено закупнание большой массы газообразного лейтерия [17].
Развивая идеи, реализованные при проведении этого опыта, Е. Н. Аврорин предложил в новой физической смеме заряда использовать тазообразний дейтерий под большим давлением (повышенной полотности). Проверка этого конструкторского предложения, прове денная 13.02 1966 г. на Семипалатическом политоне, была успециюй и полностью полатверика результаты физических расчетов Зажитание

денная 13.02 1966 г. на Семипалатическом политоне, была успециясй и полностью полтвератия результаты физических расчетов. Зажитание было осуществлено от первичного узля, осколочная активность которого не превышала 6% от общего энерговыделения. Таким образом был доказан факт получения энерговыделения от больших количеств дейтерия. Этот важный научный и практический результат открывал луг к использованию в энерготике самого дешевого съгрыя - дейтерия. Тог, чего не удалось получить в дорогостоящих и спожнейших установка диш термоацерного синтая, было получено в несоизмеримо больших масштабах при подремном ядерном взрыве.

"Зажиганием" физики называют осуществление термоядерной реакции с заметным энерговыделением, которое способно привести к устойчиво-м) течению термоядерных реакций.

ABOVE: TRANSLATION FROM PAGE 139, DEUTERIUM BURNS



Рис 3.2 Ядарное вэрмвное устройство большой мощности, предназначенное для проведения вэрывов с выбросом грунта



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On 22 Nov. 1955 at 9.47am an RDS-37 was dropped by a Tu-16 flying at 12km altitude

Parachute delivery gave time for the plane to escape to a safe distance before detonation.

Detonation occurred at 1.55km altitude. Severe damage occurred out to 5 km for planes, 2 km for tanks and 3 km for field artillery.

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Испытания ядерных зарядов

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245	13.02.1966	СИП шт.Е-1	125	Испытание заряда с термоядерным блоком, содержащим дейтерий под большим давлением	PURE DEUTERIUM GAS UNDER HIGH PRESSUR
280	07.01.1968	СИП шт.810	7.5	Физический опыт для определения минимального котичества дейтерия, которое может устойчиво взрываться.	TEST OF MINIMUM YIEL FOR PURE DEUTERIUM FUSION CHARGE BURN
294	09.11.1968	СИП шт.606	4	С 1967 по 1970 гг.	
296	18.12.1968	СИП шт.508	8.9	испытывался	EXAMPLES OF NUCLEA
299	13.04.1969	СИП шт.24П	0,001-20	заряд с термоядерным	TESTS FOR
302	04.07.1969	СИП шт.710	15	блоком, дающим мниимум наведенной активности. Всего проведено 8 таких опытов.	DEVELOPMENT OF LOW YIELD CLEAN CHARGE
333	22.03.1971		67		
357	28.03.1972		6		
377	10.12.1972		140	Испытание особо "чистого" заряда с высоким коэффициентом термоядерности (около 1%)	140 KILOTON TOTAL YIELD CHARGE OF ONL ~1% FISSION YIELD
382		СИП скв.1066	212		
400		СИП скв.1207	71		
422	08.06.1975	СИП шт.165	32		
616		СИПНЗ пл.А-40			
658	28.12.1984	СИП скв.1353	0,001-20		

TEST OF MINIMUM YIELD FOR PURE DEUTERIUM **FUSION CHARGE BURN**

EXAMPLES OF NUCLEAR TESTS FOR DEVELOPMENT OF LOW YIELD CLEAN CHARGE

140 KILOTON TOTAL VIELD CHARGE OF ONLY ~1% FISSION YIELD

Extracts from Beria's Xe 163 final (28 October 1949) report to Stalin the 1949 Russian nuclear test data Заключительный доклад Л.П.Берия И.В.Сталину о результатах испытания атомной бомбы

Товарищу Сталину И.В

Оптическими измереняеми (произведенными при помощи специально скон-струированных сверхскоростиму фотокамер, дающих 600 000, 100 000 и 25 000 вадров в секунду, обычных инно-и экрофитокамер, специальных спектрографов и других измеричельных приборов, заравее установленных на дистанциях 1 800, 3 000 и 5 000 метров от центра взрыка)

(= Russia set up high speed cameras running at 600,000, 100,000 and 25,000 frames/second at 1.8, 3.0 and 5.0 km from ground zero to film fireball.)

Измерено, что поток теплового излучения взрыва составляет 4 % энергии деления всей массы плутония, составлявшей заряд атомной бомбы, испытанной 29 августа 1949 года.

(= The bomb's measured thermal yield was 4%.)

Gamma doses (R) Neutron doses (R) Reflected blast, tons/m² Ыва\$, 20ns/ Дваленен отража удругой волич удругой волич 200 м 2 900 г 250 м 1 560 300 м 770 400 м 225 500 м 82 660 м 48 800 м 21 1200 м 12, 1800 м 6, 3 000 м 3, 5 000 м 1, 10 000 м 0, 0 300 M 400 M 500 M 600 M 700 M 800 M 420 000 27 000 000 38 000 12 000 4 200 400 м 500 M 68 000 32 000 600 M 4 560 770 225 82 48 21 12,1 6,2 3.1 700 M 15 000 В00 м 7 800 4 200 900 M 1 000 m 1 000 w 180 1 100 м 1 200 M 1 200 M 35 1 300 s 1 500 м 1 600 м 1 700 м 1 800 м

На основавани принятой для взрыва троткиа зависимости давления удари волим от расстояния и всез заряда специалисты установния, что тротяцюю эквивалент атомной боибы испытанной 29 августа 1949 г. воиструкция, раг 11 000 товит гротила.

11 000 токи тротила. (= Bomb's BLAST yield partition was 11 kt of TNT.)

Действие втрымной волны ма военную техтику
Из всех видов боевой техников манболее удзецию оказалась авнационная (самолеты) на 33 самолетов, установленных на опытном поле на дистанциях от 500 до 400 меторов, остановы энтопереждентных отпаво 2 самолетов. Артикаерийское вооружение полностью разрушено в радиусе 250-30 метров в завистанью товрежденов радиусе 300 метров и завистанью товрежденов радиусе 300 метров полного разрушенов зарима. Радиус полного разрушенам радиусе 300 метров. Средимы тапкам в радиусе 350-500 метров напессия сильяные повреждения. В Вслугиния ликим связы сально разрушения в радиусе до 1000 метров, а кабельные ликии, пропоженные на земле, в радиусе 500 метров.

(= Military effects:

Out of 53 aircraft exposed at 0.5-2km range, only 2 survived intact.

Field artillery and tanks were destroyed at 250-300m and had significant damage out to 500m. Ground-laid cables were destroyed out to 500m, and overhead cables were destroyed out to 1000m.)

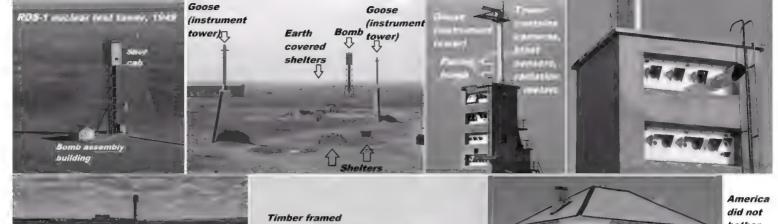
Animal Effects from Soviet Atmospheric Nuclear Tests, by V. A. Logachev and L. A. Mikhalikhina, ITT Corporation, 2008, report ADA485845 (DTRA-TR-07-38):

"The medical/biological studies involved about 8,000 experimental animals (camels, horses, pigs, sheep, dogs, rabbits, guinea pigs, white rats). The basic ways to solve medical/biological problems were by carrying out field experiments that used animals in open areas of test fields and in military and civilian protective structures. Animals were placed in more than 500 field and long-term structures, more than 200 war materiel items (tanks, armored personnel carriers, automobiles, aircrafts etc.), and residential brick and wooden houses."

Page 36: at the 1.6 megaton 1955 test, no thermal burns occurred to animals in houses or structures.



Recently declassified high quality photos of the effects of the 1949 Russian nuclear test RDS-1 on military equipment









bother to expose houses to nuclear tests until 47 kt Easy in 1951.

Trench field fortifications and bomb tower

Building protected by earth-filled blast walls

Entire brick house exposed to RDS1 in 1949









Moscow type housing blocks exposed in 1949.

Fireball near thermal minimum, showing development of dust skirt at base (thermally popcorned sand billows upward in precursor blast)





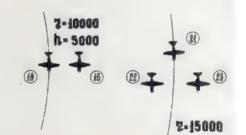








Ориентировочная скема расположения самолетов с оптическими приборами и жото-кино аппаратурой в момеит предшествующий варыву.



In-flight aircraft flew in circles in the clockwise direction around ground zero at radii (Z) of 2-15 km. For safety, the aircraft at 2km flew at 8km altitude.



Bomb tower 29 August 1949 first Russian test control bunker (left)

Right: 14 different target sectors or lines stretched out to distances of up to 10 km (6 miles) from the 29 August 1949 Russian 22 kt nuclear test tower. This Russian poster uses a nonlinear distance scale to show the ranges to which different items were exposed. Tanks were sector 5, out to 2 km in the South-West.



Схема расположения секторов Опытного поля в первом ядерном испытаний 29.08.1949 г.:

- 1 сектор полевых оборонительных сооружений, минных полей;
- 2 сектор долговременных фортификационных сооружений и их фрагментов;
- 3 сектор вооружения и техники ВМФ;
- 4 сектор артиллерийского вооружения;
- 5 сектор бронетанкового вооружения:
- 6 сектор автотракторной техники;
- 7 сектор биологических объе-... (подопытных животных):
- 8 сектор промышленных сооружений; 9 сектор – инженерной, военно-химической техники и имущества тыла;
- 10 сектор самолетов; 11 сектор – измерение параметров воздушной ударной волны;
- 12 сектор объектов жилищного строительства;
- 13 сектор техники войск связи;
- 14-15 сектора приборных сооружений.

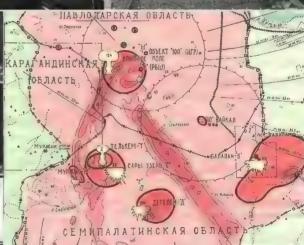
В каждом секторе показаны дальние границы размещения объектов. Н определения воздействия параметров ядерного взрыва на технику, сооруж приборы, предназначенные для регистрации ударной волны, светового излу

Tank line



Testing control bunke







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First tritium and deuterium gas boosted plutonium primary stage gave "amazing" 12 kt,

Товарищу ХРУЩЕВУ Н.С. Товарищу БУЛГАНИНУ Н.А.

28 December 1957! (December 1957!

Рассокрачено громого ч(1) АНТ 2 4. 45 Г. Росе Р. от 14. 04. 15 из 56 м. 181 Подансь Ген В. 12 ес. ст.

Докладиваю, что 28 декабря 1957 года в 10 часов утра по московскому времени на полигоне № 2 Министерства оброне СССР, в соответствии с утвержденным планом, был произведен взрыв а томного устройства с целью изучения нового способа повышения эффективности использования плутония в атомных зарядах за счет добавления небольного количества газообразной смеси дейтерия и прития.

Результат опыта положительный.

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RUSSIAN 3.5 KT UNDERWATER TEST IN 1955

RUSSIAN 6 KT UNDERWATER TEST IN 1957



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Согласно Постановлению Совета Министров СССР от 20 мая 1954г. Министерство оборонной промышленности (НИИ-88, главный конструктор т.Коронев С.П.) разрабатывает банистическую ракему P-7 для транопортировии специального заряда типа PDC-6 на MI SOOO IM.

По расчетным данным указанный заряд типа РОС-6 имеет мон-вместе с аппаратурой автоматики был задан 3400 кг.

В результате проведенных в ноябре 1955г. испитаний водородной бомбы построенной на новом принципе облатия выявилась вознокность создания для ракеты Р-7 нового водородного заряда нопностью около 2,0 ман. тони тротилового эквивалента и весом 2900 Kr.

В соответствии с решением ЦК КПСС от 5 якваря 1956г. вопрос о размещении нового водородного заряда в ракете Р-7 проновнена возможность разместить новый заряд в головном отсеке pakembi

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В целях вооружения баллистической ракеты P-7 новым более мощни <u>Водородным</u> зарядом Центральный Комитет КИСС и Совет Министров СССР, в частичное изменение Постановления Совет MHHMCTPOB CCCP OF 20 MAR 1954 r. N 956-408cc, HOCTAHOBRADT:

Принять предложение тт. Хруничева, Дукова, Ванникова, Устинова, Рябикова, Зернова о применении в балимотической ракете Р-7 нового водородного заряда мощностью окоро 2,5 мм тон тротилового эквивалента, именщего вес со спецаппаратурой (автоматика, варывательные устройства, эксктройчтание) не более 2900 кг. вамен специального варида типа РВС-6 мощностью 1,5 ман. тони тротилового эквивалента и весом 3400кг предназначавногося ранее в установие на этой рожете.

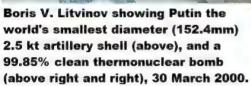
> Ministers decision authority to equip their 8000 km range R-7 IRBM with their 2.0 megaton warhead with a mass of 2900 kg, based on their November 1955 "new ablation principle"

thermonuclear weapon test.

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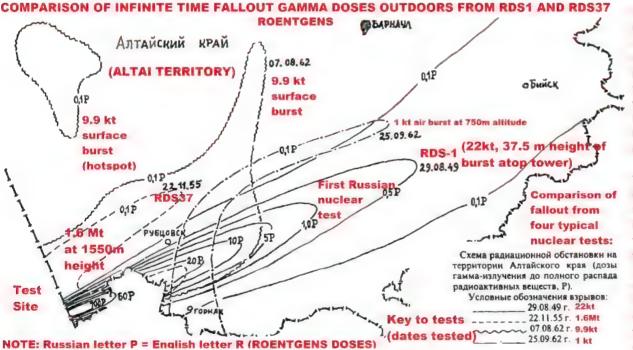












Note that the 1.6 megaton air burst RDS37 on 22 November 1955 produced ONLY 1% of the fallout doses of the 22 kt near surface burst RDS1. Burst height is more important than yield!

These measurements of the total (infinite time) dose were integrated according to the -1.2 power of time "decay law". Infinite time dose, D = 5Rt Roentgens, where R is initial dose rate (Roentgens/hour) at time t (hours after detonation).



The thermonuclear charge to equip the first domestic intercontinental ballistic missile (ICBM) R-7. The charge had a capacity of 3 megatons of TNT equivalent. The length of the rocket is 31.4 m. The range of the rocket was 8500 km. It launched Sputnik 1957 and the Vostok-1 spacecraft piloted by Gagarin in 1961.



The thermonuclear warhead for the first R-36 ICBM was tested in 1962 with a yield of 2 Mt. The range of the missile was 12,000 km.

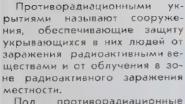


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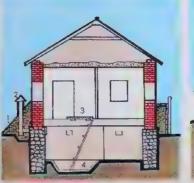
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приспосовленные под укрытия хозяйственные сооружения

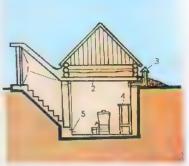


Под противорадиационные укрытия могут быть широко использованы приспособленные для защиты подвалы, подполья, погреба и другие углубления. Кроме того, укрытия могут возводиться с использованием лесоматериала, кирпича, бетонных и железобетонных элементов. В сельской местности укрытия строят из подручных материалов (круглый лес, жерди, хворост, камыш и др.).



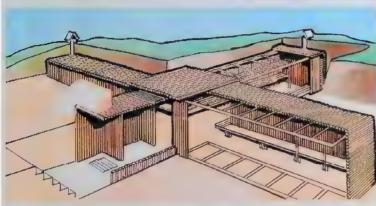
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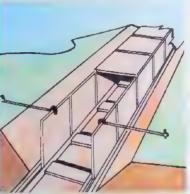


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СТРОИТЕЛЬСТВО УКРЫТИЙ ИЗ ЛЕСОМАТЕРИАЛА И ЖЕЛЕЗОБЕТОННЫХ ЭЛЕМЕНТОВ



Укрытие безврубочной конструкции на 40 человек



Монтаж укрытия из железобетонных элементов



Железобетонные кольца, использувание при строительстве укрытий

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При выборе места для строительства укрытий нужно учитывать влияние рельефа и осадков на характер радиоактивного заражения местности.

ПРОТИВОРАДИАЦИОННЫЕ УКРЫТИЯ

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Население при угрозе нападения противника может своими силами строить из подручных материалов различного рода укрытия.

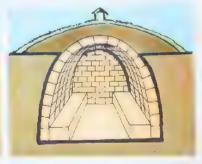






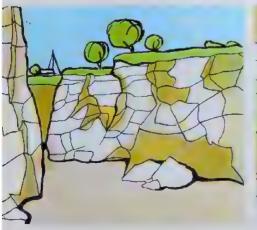


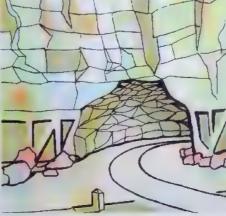
Укрытие из арочных фашин

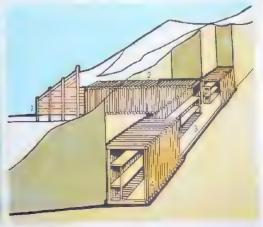


Простейшие укрытия типа щели с одеждой кругостей ослабляют действие радиации в 180—200 раз, уменьшают радиус поражения от ударной волны в 1,5—2 раза

В районах горнодобывающей и угольной промышленности под укрытия могут быть использованы шахты, рудники, выработки по добыче строительных материалов, катакомбы, пещеры и др.







Галерея (разрез): 1 — вход; 2 — деревянные рямы; 3 — галерия; 4 — рамы из бревен или брусьев

Меловые разработки

Соляные разработки

УКРЫТИЯ И БЫСТРОВОЗВОДИМЫЕ ПРОСТЕЙШИЕ **УПРОШЕННЫМ** ОБОРУДОВАНИЕМ

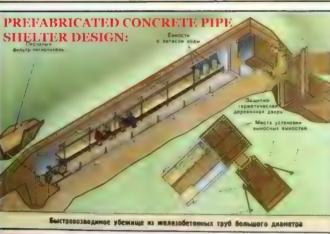
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Выстровозводимые убенища с упрощенным оборудованием









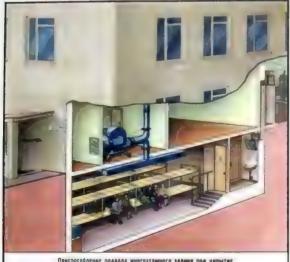


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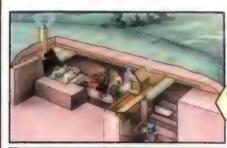
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Противорадизционные унрытия защищают пюдем от радиоантивного и светового излучения ослабляют воздействие ударной волны ядерного взрыва











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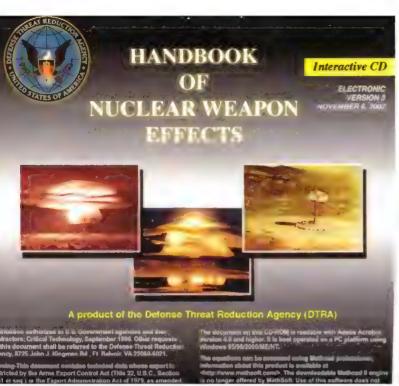


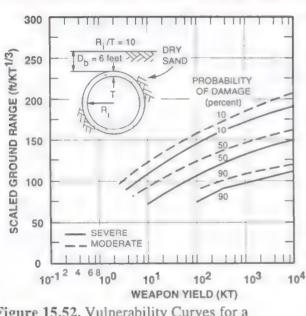
Table 15.17. Command Post and Personnel Shelter Vulnerability Levels for Peak Overpressure (psi).

PERCENT PROBABILITY	LI	EVEL OF DAM	AGE
OF DAMAGE	LIGHT	MODERATE	SEVERE
10	20	35	40
50	30	50	60
90	45	75	90

Table 15.18. Hardened Frame/Fabric Shelter Vulnerability Levels for Peak Overpressure (psi).

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EXPEDIENT FIELD SHELTERS: 4 FT EARTH COVER





Russian buried KVS-U prefabricated buried corrugated steel shelter

Figure 15.52. Vulnerability Curves for a Horizontal Cylinder, Aspect Ratio $R_i/T = 10$ (Structure Category 15.3.18) Buried in Dry Sand.

July 1977 Commentary, pp Why the Soviet Union Thinks It Could Fight and Win a Nuclear War

Richard Piper

3. The threat of a second strike, which underpins the mutual-deterrence doctrine, may prove in-effectual. The side that has suffered the destruction of the bulk of its nuclear forces in a surprise first strike may find that it has so little of a deterrent left and the enemy so much, that the cost of striking back in retaliation would be exposing its own cities to total destruction by the enemy's third strike. The result could be a paralysis of will, and capitulation instead of a second strike

Experts refute CIA Soviet civil defense

By Vicki Tatz NEWS WORLD WASHINGTON BUREAU

WASHINGTON-Two experts on WASHINGTON-TWO Experts of Soviet civil defense capabilities disagreed sharply yesterday with statements released Friday indicating that the CIA does not place great significance on the massive Soviet prepara-

Dr. Eugenge Wigner, Nobel prizewinning physicist, and retired Gen. George Keegan, former chief of Air Force intelligence, both disagreed with Adm. Stansfield Turner, the director of the Central Intelligence Agency. In

"I don't know what the Soviets plan to initiate," Wigner said, "but the impression one gets is that they constantly claim that to destroy capitalist countries is all right, but to destroy socialism is a terrible crime."

Wigner referred to estimates made by himself and others that only between 2 percent and 5 percent of the Soviet Union's population would be vulnerable to a U.S. nuclear attack, while 45 percent of the U.S. population could be hit.

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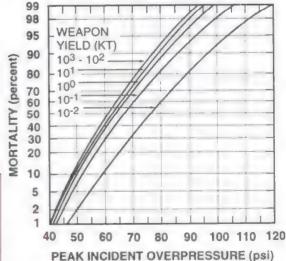
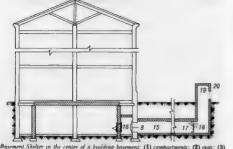


Figure 14.3. Mortality Due to Lung Injury; Long Axis of Body Parallel to Direction of Blast Wave.



Basement Shelter in the center of a building basement: (1) compartments; (2) exit and (6) protective artifield doors; (3) interved woodlen door; (6) vestibule; (7) protective artifield subters; (8) shuter with dust filter; (9) filter-ventilation chamber, (10) lavas (11) exhaust dust; (12) scaling safety valve; (13) hatic air installe dust; (14) press pipe; (15) energency exai; (10) adjoining chamber; (17) artifield safety shutter in emeric; (13) lating validy valve; (19) vent out of the emergency exai; (20) nooden (1) sent: (1) compartments; (2) exits; (5)

Basement Shelters ا(د. U-Plate oss Section of a Basement Shelter Using Prefabricated U-Plates and Cast Reinforced Concrete Slab Roof

Dr Leon Goure, Shelters in Soviet War Survival Strategy, ADA053250, 1978.

(1) Toilet bucket; (2) spaces for (1) Toilei buckei; (2) spaces for occupun (3) hand-operated ventilator, producing 120 m²hour of air; (4) filter made of sor slag, unth capacity of 130-220 m²hour air; (5) bicycle; (6) hermetic-sealing do with air valve; (7) toilet; (8) protective de whing water; (2) storage for a five-day supply of food; (BD) ors, height 1.8 mPullars of reinforced concrete 0.65 m × 0.65 m × 3= REMARKS: All dimer

TK Jones became President Reagan's civil defense expert, debunking propaganda:

- 1. Ostensible Crisis
- 2. Political, Economic, and Diplomatic Gestures
- 3. Solemn and Formal Declarations
- 4. Hardening of Positions-Confrontation of Wills
- 5. Show of Force
- 6. Significant Mobilization
- 7. "Legal" Harassment-Retortions
- 8. Harassing Acts of Violence
- 9. Dramatic Military Confrontations
- 10. Provocative Breaking Off of Diplomatic Relations
- 11. Super-Ready Status
- 12. Large Conventional War (or Actions)
- 13. Large Compound Escalation
- 14. Declaration of Limited Conventional War
- 15. Barely Nuclear War
- 16. Nuclear "Ultimatums"
- 17. Limited Evacuation (Approximately 20 per cent)
- 18. Spectacular Show or Demonstration of Force
- 19. "Justifiable" Counterforce Attacks
- 20. "Peaceful" World-Wide Embargo or Blockade
- 21. Local Nuclear War-Exemplary
- 22. Declaration of Limited Nuclear War
- 23. Local Nuclear War-Military
- 24. Unusual, Provocative, and Significant Countermeasures
- 25. Evacuation (Approximately 70 per cent)
- 26. Demonstration Attack on Zone of Interior
- 27. Exemplary Attack on Military
- 28. Exemplary Attacks Against Property
- 29. Exemplary Attacks on Population
- 30. Complete Evacuation (Approximately 95 per cent)
- 31. Reciprocal Reprisals
- 32. Formal Declaration of "General" War
- 33. Slow-Motion Counter-"Property" War
- 34. Slow-Motion Counterforce War
- 35. Constrained Force-Reduction Salvo
- 36. Constrained Disarming Attack
- 37. Counterforce-with-Avoidance Attack
- 38. Unmodified Counterforce Attack
- 39. Slow-Motion Countercity War
- 40. Countervalue Salvo
- 41. Augmented Disarming Attack
- 42. Civilian Devastation Attack
- 43. Some Other Kinds of Controlled General War
- 44. Spasm or Insensate War

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Expedient Shelters

The Honorable William Proxmire Chairman, Semate Banking Committee United States Senate Washington, D.C.

Dear Senator Proxmire:

Diagram of a Basement Shelter in a Six-Story,

Non-Industrial Building

Your request in recent hearings for an explanation of the discrepancy between our estimates and ACDA's estimates of Soviet losses in a nuclear war is clearly important and warrants a clear and candid answer. Unfortunately, Mr. Spurgeon Keeny, the Deputy Director of ACDA, chose to incorrectly represent our work. I appreciate the opportunity to set the record straight and to point out what we have determined to be the factors contributing significantly to the differences between the two estimates.

In his attempt to discredit our work, Mr. Keeny incorrectly inferred that this work was based on mere "assumptions" and "simple ratios." In fact, our approach was to analytically duplicate the provisions of the Soviet Union's civil defense plans and preparations. This effort was supported by extensive research into Soviet literature, use of rigorous system engineering functional analysis techniques, and a program of testing to establish the effectiveness of Soviet shelters and industrial protection methods. Moreover, the impact of uncertainties and possible imperfections in Soviet execution of their plans were examined parametrically.

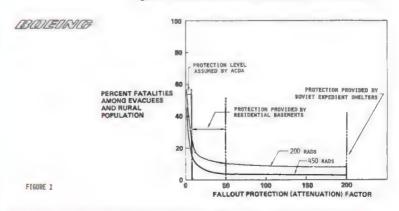
Mr. Keeny's statement that we "assumed there would be no casualties from fallout" is false. The record of hearings before the Joint Committee on Defense Production (November 17, 1976) clearly shows that the data presented counted as fatalities all persons receiving a radiation dose of 200 rads or more. Moreover, our more recent studies of which ACDA is aware have treated this value parametrically.

By protecting their people against fallout, the Soviets can substantially limit their population fatalities. Figure 1 shows that even very rudimentary protection, such as basements or expedient shelters, is sufficient to minimize fatalities. In the ACDA analysis, the majority of the evacuees were assumed to have a protection factor of 10 or less, which results in enormously high fatalities compared to what the Soviets could achieve if they carry out even the most modest of the measures outlined in their plans and literature. achieve if they and literature.

Assumption Variables Versus U.S.S.R.

Civil Defense Effectiveness

Degree of Fallout Protection for Evacuees and Rural Population



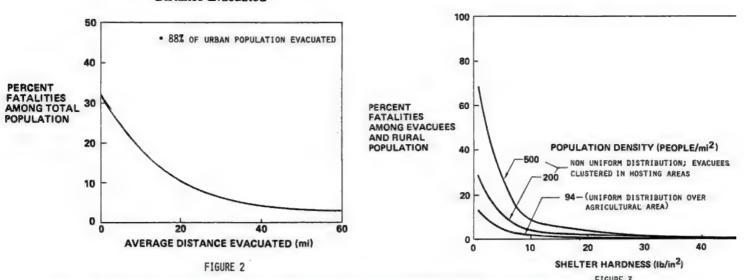
Mr. Keeny has incorrectly characterized our treatment of blast protection. In their cities, the Soviets are building industrial shelters and apartment basement shelters with a blast resistance of at least 150 psi and 60 psi, respectively. These ratings were calculated for the Defense Nuclear Agency based on knowledge of construction details such as beam dimensions, concrete quality, and structural reinforcement size and placement. The Soviet designs for expedient shelters have been built and exten-

Assumption Variables Versus U.S.S.R. Civil Defense Effectiveness

Distance Evacuated

Assumption Variables Versus U.S.S.R. Civil Defense Effectiveness

Blast Protection Provided Evacuees and Rural Population



As to the reasons why our results differ from those produced by ACDA: ACDA assumed that 30 percent of the Soviet urban population would not be evacuated but that the good quality shelters would accommodate only 10 percent. Thus, 20 percent of the Soviet urban population was assumed unevacuated and inadequately protected, which of course subjects them to massive losses. The Soviet plans, which we endeavored to represent in our analysis, indicates that urban residents not sheltered will be evacuated.

A second difference centers around the way in which the Soviets choose to distribute and provide blast protection for their evacuees. The ACDA analysis assumed that the Soviets would cluster their evacuees in hosting areas, which we estimate could result in some concentrations as high as 500 persons per square mile. The evacuees were assumed to have no blast protection, so fatalities would occur at 3 to 7 psi according to the source used by ACDA. Figure 3 shows that a distribution of 500 persons per square mile and 3 psi fatal blast level results in a fatality level almost 100 times greater than a uniform distribution and blast protection to 15 psi (the minimum provided by Soviet expedient shelters). It is important to remember that it is the Soviet Union and not the United States that controls such factors as evacuation, distribution, and sheltering of the Soviet citizens.

The ACDA study of industrial protection, which I have reviewed, is not a competent work. The hardness levels known to be achievable on industrial components are seriously understated while the difficulty of achieving these levels is overstated. The resiliency of industry in recovering from damage is disregarded. The report's fixation on the capability of one-megaton weapons to damage industry is misleading since the U.S. would be able to deliver few of these weapons against Soviet targets. Moreover, the ACDA study fails to assess the impact of protection on the survival and recovery of the Soviet industrial base as a whole.

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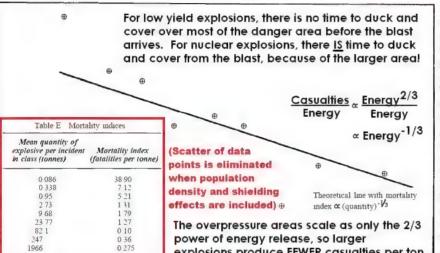
USSBS Report 92, v2	MAE's in square	Radii of
Hiroshima buildings	miles	in feet
Multistory, earthquake-resistant Multistory, steel- and reinforced-	0. 03	500
concrete frame (including both earthquake- and non-earthquake-		
resistant construction)	. 05	700
1-story, light, steel-frame	3. 4	5, 500
Multistory, load-bearing, brick-wall.	3. 6	5, 700
1-story, load-bearing, brick-wall Wood-frame industrial-commercial	6. 0	7, 300
(dimension-timber construction) Wood-frame domestic buildings	8. 5	8, 700
(wood-pole construction)	9. 5	9, 200
Residential construction	6. 0	7, 300

50% PROBABILITY OF SEVERE DAMAGE (COLLAPSE) FOR CITY BUILDINGS (SOURCE: NORTHROP, EM-1 NUCLEAR WEAPON EFFECTS HANDBOOK, 1996, TABLE 15.6, AND FIGURES 15.10, 15.18, SURFACE BURSTS)

	•	UES (NOMINAL)	
	Oscillation	Static yield	Ductility
STRUCTURE	Period (ms)	resistance (psi)	ratio (u)
15.2.2, 3-8 Story Reinforced Concrete Building (Concrete Walls)	300	3.0	7.5
15.2.10, 3-10 Story Steel Frame Building	600	2.0	10

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THE ORIGINALLY SECRET EM-1 **SHOWS THAT** MODERN CITY **BUILDINGS REQUIRE FAR** HIGHER PEAK **OVERPRESSURES**, **EVEN AT MEGATON** YIELDS, THAN THE WOODEN HOUSES IN HIROSHIMA FOR COLLAPSE



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Fig 3 Variation of mortality index with size of incident for explosives (from table E)

In WWI, Britain's fired 170 million shells, of which 1.5 million were fired before the Battle of the Somme. In 1917 alone, Britain produced 50 million shells containing 185 kilotons of explosive. 943,947 shells were fired in a 24-hour period by the Britain on 28-29 September 1918. From 1914-17 Britain fired 290 kt at German trenches. The "equivalent megatonage" of these small smells is immense because the area of destruction and thus casualties scale by the 2/3 power of energy, not directly with yield, and a typical WWI shell contained about 3.7 kg of explosive. Thus, in 1917 alone British shelling was equivalent to: $50.000.000(3.7 \times 10^{-9})^{2/3} =$ 120 separate 1 megaton bombs. In the whole of WWI, Britain fired 170 million shells, with equivalent damage to: 170,000,000(3.7 x 10 ^-9)^{2/3} = 408 separate 1 megaton nuclear weapons. In Vietnam, 7,662,000 tons of conventional bombs = 766 separate 1 megaton explosions. In WWII, London received 18.8 kt in 100 kg bombs, thus $188,000(10^{-7})^{2/3} = 4$

10-2 SOURCE

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explosions produce FEWER casualties per ton

of TNT equivalent than smaller explosions!

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The 1.3 megatons of conventional bombs dropper on Germany in WWII was likewise equivalent to: 13,000,000(10^-7)^{2/3} = 280 separate thermonuclear weapons, each 1 megaton

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The "equivalent megatonage" or equivalent to 1 megaton nuclear weapons, isn't just 0.29 megatons, but is immense because the area of destruction and thus casualties scale by only about the 2/3 power of energy, not directly with yield, and each average shell contained only 3.7 kg of explosive. Thus, the equivalent megatonnage of Britain's shelling in 1917 alone is:

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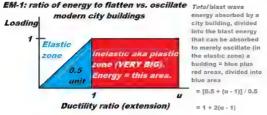
Now consider WWII, where London alone received about 18.8 kilotons in roughly 188 thousand separate 100 kg explosives in the 1940 Blitz:

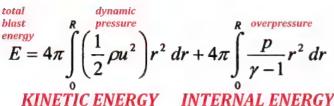
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 $13,000,000(10^{-7})^{2/3} = 280$ separate thermonuclear weapons, each 1 megaton.

In total, 74.2 kilotons of conventional bombs were dropped on the UK in WWII causing 60,000 casualties, equivalent to 16 separate 1 megaton nuclear weapons, confirming the British Home Office analysis that - given cheap-type civil defence - you get about 3,750 casualties for a one megaton nuclear weapon. Naturally, without civil defence, as in early air bombing surprise attacks or the first use of nuclear weapons against Hiroshima and Nagasaki, casualty rates can be over 100 times higher than this. (For example, Glasstone and Dolan, in The Effects of Nuclear Weapons, 1977 point out that in Hiroshima the 50% lethal radius was only 0.12 mile for people under cover in concrete buildings, compared to 1.3 miles for those caught totally unprotected outdoors. The difference in areas is over a factor of 100, indicating that the casualties in Hiroshima could have been reduced enormously if the people had taken cover in concrete buildings, or simple earth covered WWII shelters which offered similar protection to concrete buildings.)



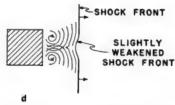


a. Blueprint container b. Petrol cans c. Paper screens in bamboo frames d. Panel of timber barn A DISTANCE FROM HIROSHIMA GROUND ZERO, KM Data from Dr W. G. Penney, at al., 'The Nuclear Explosive Yields at Hiroshima and Nagasaki', Phil. Trans. Roy. Soc., v266 (1970). pp. 357-224.

The Effects of

Atomic Weapons

PREPARED FOR AND IN COOPERATION WITH THE U. S. DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE AND THE U. S. ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION



igure 5.3. Behavior of blast wave upon striking cubical structure: (a) before striking the structure; (b) soon after striking the structure; (c) soon after passing the structure: (d) wave completely past the structure.

APPENDIX A1

AN APPROXIMATE METHOD OF COMPUTING THE DEFORMATION OF A STRUCTURE BY A BLAST WAVE

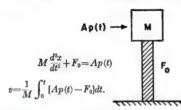


Figure A.2. Mass supported on plastic spring equivalent to single-story structure.

Glasstone's 1950 Effects of Atomic Weapons explained the basis of blast attenuation clearly.

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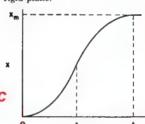
3.20 In the preceding paragraphs, the discussion has dealt with the air blast from an atomic bomb exploded in an infinite atmosphere. In this section consideration will be given to the influence of the height of burst of the bomb on the area of blast damage. The problem is extremely complex and can be solved only in a statistical or average manner. This is so for two reasons: first, the detailed description of a military target can never be completely given, and second, the complete analytical solution of even such a relatively simple problem as the behavior of a shock wave incident on a wall at an oblique angle has never been obtained for all angles. As will be seen later, a solution of the basic problem of shock reflection from a rigid wall can be derived by a combination of theory and experiment. This solution is, however, not readily adapted to yielding the effect of blast in better than an average sense in a more complicated situation. As to the detailed description of the target, not only are the structures of odd shape, but they have the additional complicating property of not being rigid. This means that they do not merely deflect the shock wave, but they also absorb energy from it at each reflection.

3.21 The removal of energy from the blast in this manner decreases the shock pressure at any given distance from the point of detonation to a value somewhat below that which it would have in the absence of dissipative objects, such as buildings. The presence

¹¹ This section is based on work by J. von Neumann and F. Reines done at the Los Alamos Scientific Laboratory.

SHOCK FROM AIR BURST

of such dissipation or diffraction makes it necessary to consider somewhat higher values of the pressure than would be required to produce a desired effect if there were only one structure set by itself on a rigid plane.

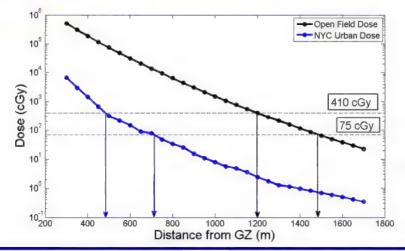


Glasstone's 1950
Appendix A
calculates deflection
of building, allowing
energy absorbed to
be calculated from: $E = \int F dx = \int PA dx$

Appendix A then gives a specifical calculated example: a reinforced concrete building of 952 metric tons, 75x75ft, 38 ft high, resisting force 4psi, subjected to a peak overpressure and dynamic pressure loading of 32psi decaying to zero in 0.32 second. Calculated peak deflection of middle of the building was 0.88 foot.



Significant Reduction in Total Dose



Blast is not the only thing that is attenuated severely in a city: radiation including thermal and nuclear, is also attenuated. Although some scattered radiation gets through, it is usually degraded in energy and only comes from the small area of sky above you in a city street with tall buildings

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Material classification		ALPHA 0.01	BRAVO 0.05	CHARLIE 0.10	DELTA 0.50	ECHO KT
Field fortifications Mod		35	55	70	85	125
Earth covered surface shelters		35	60	65	80	100
Monumental-type multistory wall-bearing bldgs.	Mod	150	210	250	350	575
Multistory, wall-bearing bldgs (apt house type)	Sev	100	165	200	275	400
Multistory, reinforced bldgs (small windown area) Multistory, steel frame office bldgs.	Mod	65	100	130	200	350
Wood frame bldgs.	Sev	140	195	250	350	690

SOURCE: U.S. ARMY FIELD MANUAL "FM 5-26, EMPLOYMENT OF ATOMIC DEMOLITION MUNITIONS (ADM), AUGUST 1971".

PROTECTION (CASUALTY = REDUCTION FACTOR)

AREA OF SEVERE DAMAGE FOR HIROSHIMA'S WOOD FRAME BUILDINGS

AREA OF SEVERE DAMAGE FOR EARTH COVERED SURFACE SHELTERS

 $=690^{2}/100^{2}=6.9^{2}\sim50$ FOR A 1 KILOTON SURFACE BURST.

SO MOVING TO EARTH COVERED SHELTERS REDUCES CASUALTIES TO 2%, AND THEY ALSO PROVIDE RADIATION SHIELDING. IN ADDITION, THE "FIRESTORM" AND ITS "SOOT NUCLEAR WINTER" FANTASY, WERE DEBUNKED BY GEORGE R. STANBURY, WHO PLANNED THE GERMAN FIRESTORMS; YOU NEEDED 50% IGNITION OF MEDIEVAL WOODEN HOUSES IN HAMBURG TO START A FIRESTORM, WHEREAS THE SIMPLE FIREBALL SHADOWING OF HIGH-RISE MODERN CITY SKYLINES REDUCES THIS TO 5% OR LESS, PREVENTING FIRESTORMS AND CLIMATIC EFFECTS. THIS IS SUPPRESSED BY THE NUCLEAR EXAGGERATIONS BIAS OF JOURNALISTS.

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NUCLEAR WEAPONS EMPLOYMENT DOCTRINE AND PROCEDURES

Radius of vulnerability (emergency risk criterion: 5% combat ineffectiveness)

Figure 54. Radii of Vulnerability.

CATEGORY

PERSONNEL (LL) IN— (Based on Governing Effect)

Radii listed are distances at which a 5 percent incidence of effect occurs. HOB used is 60W^{1/3} meters.

Yield (KT)	Open	Open Foxholes	APCs	Tanks	Earth Shelter
		(Distanc	es are in i	neters)	
0.1	700	600	600	500	300
1	1200	900	900	800	500
10	3200	1300	1300	1250	900
20	4000	1500	1450	1400	1000
100	8000	1900	1800	1800	1400
200	12000	2000	1900	1900	1500
300	14000	2100	1950	1950	1600

Protective factor = ratio of area of effect in the open, to area of effect for shelter

Example: for 300 kt, the protective factor of open foxholes is equal to $(14,000)^2/(2,100)^2 = 44$.

Open	Open Foxholes	APCs	Tanks	Earth Shelter	
1	1.36	1.36	1.96	5.44	0.1
1	1.78	1.78	2.25	5.76	1
1	6.06	6.06	6.55	12.6	10
1	7.11	7.61	8.16	16.0	20
1	17.7	19.8	19.8	32.7	100
1	36.0	39.9	39.9	64.0	200
1	44.4	51.5	51.5	76.6	300

Calculation of the injury-averting protective factors by simple open foxholes and earth shelters, as a function of weapon yield. Most countermeasures are relatively ineffective against tactical nuclear wapons (due to the predominating neutron radiation effect at 0.1 kt yield), but are extremely effective against strategic nuclear weapons with yields of 100, 200 and 300 kt (protective factors of 44 to 77).

The definition of protective factor used here is the factor by which casualties numbers are reduced.



Intelligence Memorandum

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Evidence of Russian Development of New Subkiloton Nuclear Warheads

public statements by Russian scientists and officials

since 1993 indicate that the last nuclear warhead designed during the Soviet era was a device tailored for enhanced output of high-energy X-rays with a total yield of only 300 tons.

Judging from Russian writings since 1995 and Moscow's evolving nuclear doctrine, new roles are emerging for very-low-yield nuclear weapons—including weapons with tailored radiation output—and there are powerful advocates for development of such weapons in the country's military and weapons community. The Moscow press claimed that a draft presidential edict from Yel'tsin called for "development of new-generation nuclear weapons."

Recent statements on Russia's evolving nuclear weapons doctrine lower the threshold for first use of nuclear weapons and blur the boundary between nuclear and conventional warfare. Very-low-yield nuclear weapons reportedly could be used to head off a major conflict and avoid a full-scale nuclear war

In the post-Soviet era, the need for subkiloton nuclear weapons with minimal long-term contamination has been argued in the media by senior Ministry of Atomic Energy (Minatom) officials, nuclear weapons scientists, and military academics since the mid-1990s. Advocates often claim to know that the United States is developing the next generation of nuclear weapons and argue that Russia must not lag behind. Somewhat inconsistently, they also cite clean, very-low-yield weapons as an "asymmetric response" to US superiority in conventional weapons. According to Sergei Rogachev, Deputy Director of the Arzamas-16 nuclear weapons design laboratory: "Russia views the tactical use of nuclear weapons as a viable alternative to advanced conventional weapons.

> Senior Russian military officers have advocated the use of highly-accurate, super-lowyield nuclear weapons in Russian military journals such as Military Thought and Armeyskiy Shornik. Deputy Commander in Chief of the Strategic Rocket Forces Muravyev stated that to have an effective impact across the entire spectrum of targets, strategic missile systems should be capable of conducting surgical strikes in a wide spectrum of ranges with minimal ecological consequences, which could be achieved with low-yield nuclear weapons.

Soviet Era Development of Tailored - Output Nuclear Devices

Russian development of nuclear devices tailored to enhance certain types of radiation output began during the Soviet period when "clean" nuclear devices—that is with reduced contamination from fission products-were needed for peaceful nuclear explosions (PNE's), according to statements by the developers. Clean PNE devices were in effect the first enhanced-radiation devices produced in Russia and likely precursors of tailored-output devices developed later for both effects testing and weapons development which involved the same scientists (see appendix B for detailed discussion).

Enhanced-radiation weapons are designed to increase the effective range of gamma, neutron, X-ray, or electromagnetic pulse effects beyond the range of the airblast and fireball effects. Clean PNE devices are designed to minimize contamination from fission products by maximing the fraction of the total yield produced by fusion. The two objectives are achieved by similar design approaches.

- Former Atomic Energy Minister Mikhaylov, other nuclear scientists, military officers, and national security commentators have described these new weapons as blurring the boundaries between conventional and nuclear war. In a 1996 treatise, Mikhaylov advocated developing a new generation of nuclear battlefield arms with relatively low yields that would change the perception of nuclear arms as weapons of mass destruction. In 1999, he claimed that these new-generation nuclear charges would sharply lower the psychological threshold of nuclear weapons use and would increase the likelihood of a nuclear strike in a local conflict, according to an independent Russian military newspaper.
- The development of low-yield warheads that could be used on high-precision weapon systems would be consistent with Russia's increasing reliance on nuclear weapons to deter conventional as well as nuclear attacks, especially given widespread perceptions of a heightened threat from NATO and the reduced capabilities of Russian conventional forces. Russia has no prospect of restoring its conventional military capabilities in the foreseeable future, nor of matching the West in the procurement and deployment of advanced weapon systems that can be brought to bear

The possible diverse applications for subkiloton nuclear weapons devices range from tactical battlefield weapons to antisatellite weapons. Media reports have noted that Approved for Releas current modernization plans will affect Russia's entire stockpile, from tactical to strategic weapons. According to the December 1900 increase of the Approved for the December 1900 increase of the Appro weapons. According to the December 1999 issue of the Army Journal Armeyskiy Sbornik:

> "For an effective impact across the entire spectrum of targets, strategic missile systems should be capable of conducting 'surgical' strikes over a wide spectrum of ranges in the shortest period of time with minimal ecological consequences. This is achieved by using highly accurate, super-low-yield nuclear weapons, as well as conventional ones, and requires the highest accuracy.

The range of applications will ultimately be determined by Russia's evolving nuclear doctrine, and could include artillery, air-to-air missiles, ABM weapons, anti-satellite weapons, or multiple rocket launchers against tanks or massed troops

NOTE: the last Russian nuclear weapon test in Ukraine was on 16 September 1979, "coincidentally the same 0.3 kiloton (300 tons of TNT) yield as the new Russian battlefield tactical nuclear warheads! Because of the atmospheric nuclear test ban at that time, it was set off 900m below ground in the Ukrainian coal mine at Yunkom in Donetsk as a "safety precaution" allegedly to release methane gas! This mine "resumed normal operations" the next day.

Russia's Evolving Nuclear Doctrine

Since the dissolution of the USSR in 1991, Moscow's military doctrine has undergone a major shift with respect to the possible use of nuclear weapons. The deterioration of Russia's conventional military capabilities led to the adoption of a broadened concept of nuclear deterrence as early as the fall of 1992. Russia's nuclear arsenal was invoked to deter any large-scale conventional aggression in addition to nuclear attacks.

This concept in turn necessitated a rethinking of the old Soviet pledge—initially endorsed by President Yel'tsin-that Moscow would never be the first to use nuclear weapons. A November 1993 statement of Basic Provisions of the Military Doctrine of the Russian Federation clearly departed from the decade-old pledge never to be the first to use nuclear weapons and adopted a broadened concept of nuclear deterrence covering large-scale. nonnuclear threats to Russia. As a warning to potential adversaries, Moscow indicated it might use nuclear weapons first if an aggressor takes actions to destroy or disrupt operation of Russia's strategic nuclear forces, missile attack warning system, or nuclear and chemical industries.

WASHINGTON SCENE...from the AIAA Washington ASTRUNAUTICS & AERONAUTICS

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 CIA Deputy Director John McMahon, in testimony before a House Intelligence Subcommittee, estimated that the Soviet Union had spent \$200 million on propaganda and covert campaigns against NATO deployment of enhancedradiation (neutron-bomb) weapons and the modernization of theater nuclear weapons.

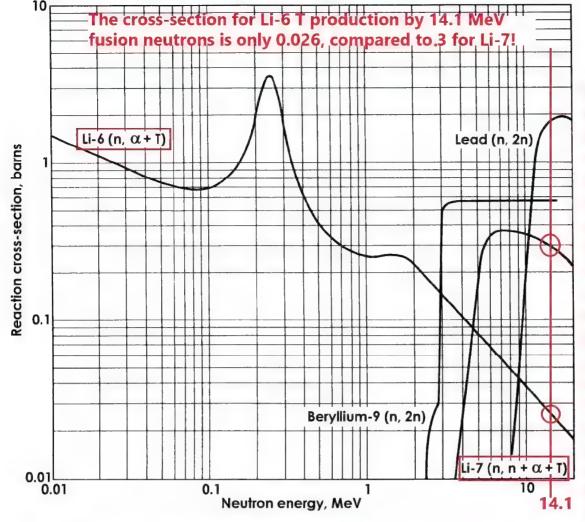
Enhanced radiation weapons (ERW) increase radiation while greatly reducing blast (tenfold) and heat damage to surrounding areas. Made for use in short-range, tactical nuclear weapons such as the Lance missile and 8-in. howitzer, they would probably be used against large concentrations of Warsaw Pact tanks, a major threat to NATO.

The campaign against the neutron bomb began in the summer of 1977 and was manifested in a series of coordinated diplomatic moves, overt propaganda, and covert political action, said McMahon. It began in the Soviet and East European press and spread to communist international front groups all over the world. "The purpose of this frontgroup activity was to maintain the campaign's momentum and to draw noncommunists into the campaign, particularly in Western Europe. What had begun as a Soviet effort now appeared to many as a general public reaction to the alleged

horrors of the neutron bomb," said McMahon. By far the most important comments, said McMahon, appeared in the noncommunist press in the political center

While it is difficult to assess the full impact of the antineutron-bomb campaign, the Carter Administration in April of 1978 deferred production of the enhanced-radiation element of the warheads indefinitely while proceeding with modifications to the warheads themselves to make them compatible with ER components. In commenting on the results of the Soviet bloc campaign, the CIA testimony quoted the chief of the International Department of the Hungarian Communist Party, Janos Berecz, as saying, "The political campaign against the neutron bomb was one of the most significant and most successful since World War II." McMahon also noted that "the Soviet Ambassador to the Hague (Netherlands) at that time was subsequently decorated by the CPSU (Communist Party of the Soviet Union) In recognition of the success of the Dutch Communist Party, under his direction, in organizing the high point of the antineutron bomb campaign."

With the neutron bomb temporarily defused, testified McMahon, the Soviet Bloc turned its efforts against the U.S.initiated move to modernize the theater nuclear forces (TNF) by deploying the highly accurate ground-launched cruise missile (GLCM) and the Pershing II missile. Scheduled for deployment in late 1983, they will, for the first time, place targets on Soviet soil within range of NATO ground-based miset seinimize the selection is to minimize the



Proved in the successful 9.96 megaton **Ripple II** secondary stage test (99.9% clean bomb. employing 10 kt boosted **Kinglet** primary) by John **Nuckolls:** Dominic Housatonic, on 30 October 1962.

The Ripple II nuclear test secret: why lithium-7 is actually better in boosted clean secondaries than lithium-6! For 14.1 Mev neutrons from T+D fusion. lithium-7 has a 0.3 barns crosssection, compared to just 0.026 for lithium-6! Plus, it gives **ANOTHER neutron UNLIKE lithium-6.**

Change in entropy,

$$\Delta S = nC_v ln(T/T_o) + nRln(V/V_o)$$

Hence, for isentropic compression (no change in entropy):

 $\Delta S = 0$

Therefore:

 $C_v ln(T/T_o) = -R ln(V/V_o)$ Ripple II (boosted Li6D in Be ablator)

John H. Nuckolls discovered isentropic compression theory for clean thermonuclear weapons from 1957-62 and he successfully tested 99.9% clean 10 megatons Housatonic on 30 October 1962. using 0.3kev x-rays (to avoid radiation wall losses) on a nonpusher (pure ablator)

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initial shock speed in the imploding matter is comparable to sound speed (pressures of 10^{2} – 10^{6} atmospheres) and subsequently so that the compression is near-isentropic; Optimum x-ray pulse shape needed isentropic Ripple II: $\dot{\mathcal{E}} = \dot{\mathcal{E}}_{0} \, \tau^{-1}$

where $\tau = 1 - t/t'$, t is time, t' (which is > t) is the transit time to the centre of the sphere of the initial shock (generated by application of \hat{E}_0), $s = \frac{3\gamma}{\gamma + 1} = 15/8$ for dense hydrogen with degenerate electrons ($\gamma = 5/3$). (Nuckolls in *Nature*, v239, p139, 1972)

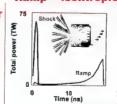
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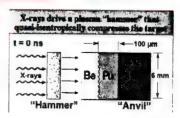
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Pages 72-3 and Fig 26 on p73 show how "X-rays drive a plasma 'hammer' that quasiisentropically compresses the target", the target "anvil" being beryllium-coated rippled-Figure 26: interface plutonium

Ramp = isentropic





initially shock compress Pu and then drive it isentropically in a way similar to the environment experienced by a Pu particle in an imploding primary. The concept is hown graphically in Figure 24. Of course, the actual design of the appropriate pulse

encouraging. In Figure 25 we show results from explorations of the Ta EOS on several platforms. The results shown correspond to isentropic compression As can be seen the new NIF data are in good agreement with previous data from the Omega laser and are also in agreement with data obtained on the Z pulsed power platform at SNL The results are the highest pressure off-Hugoniot data achieved to date.

(1 - t) -1.875

Figure 25: Measurements of the off-Hugoniot Ta EOS

Which is produced using plastic foam baffles to control the x-ray transit from the primary stage



Том 14. Ядерный оружейный комплекс

В женее представлены достижния самой наукоемкой отрасли России — разработка и эксплуатация ядерных боеприпасов, их утилизация, атомная энергетика. Особое виммание уделено ядерной и радиационной безопасности, экологии и безопасности хранения ядерных материалов.



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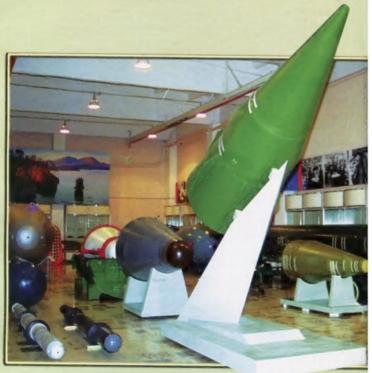
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РАЗРАБОТКА ЯДЕРНЫХ БОЕПРИПАСОВ

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Хроника основных работ и достижений РФЯЦ-ВНИИЭФ

Milestones of the VNIIEF Efforts and Achievements

1946 — 9 апреля вышло правительственное постановление о создании первого в стране специализированного научно-исспедовательского и производственного центра КБ-11 для конструнуования и наготовления -реактивных дынгателей С-(РДС).

1948—1954 — предложен, разработан и реализован нозый принцип нейтронного инициирования ядерных зарядов, что позволило существенно повысить зффективпость их действия.

1949 — построена установка ФКБН (физический котел на быстрых нейтронах), на которой были экспериментально определены критические массы плугония-239 и урана-235 для первых атомных зарядов РДС-1 и РДС-2. 29 автуста успешно испытана первая советская атомная бомба РДС-1 на Семипалатичском полигоне.

1951 — проведено первое воздушное испытание атомной бомба с качественно новой системой обеспечения сферического обжатия. Нововаясние позволило уменьшить массу изделия по сравнению с РДС-1 и удел-29 на
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1953—13 изделуста испытана заряд для первой термоядерной транспортабельной авиабомбы.

1956—2 с чвобря испытана термояденый заряд с принципиально новой физической схемой атомного обжатия.
1957—обеспечен прорые в повышении удельных характеристик ядерных зарядов.
1958—1 отытам термоядерный заряд с усовершенствованной физической схемой, которая легла в основу развитат термоядерного оружия.

1961—30 октября испытана водороя я пела в основу развитат термоядерного оружия.

1946 – government resolution issued on April 9 to establish the country's first specialized research and production center (KB-11) for design and manufacturing of «jet engines S-(RDS).

(KB-11) for design and manufacturing of -jet engines S-(RDS).

1948-1954 – a new concept of nuclear charge neutron initiation proposed, developed and implemented; this enhanced significantly the efficiency of nuclear charges.

1949 – the FKBN facility (Fast-Neutron Physical Boiler) built, it was used for experimental determination of the critical masses of plutonium-239 and uranium-235 for the first nuclear charges RDS-1 and RDS-2. The first Soviet A-bomb (RDS-1) was successfully detonated at the Semipalatinsk Test Steo an August 29.

1951 – an A-bomb with a qualitatively new spherical compression system tested in the air for the first time. The innovation made it possible to reduce the item mass as compared to RDS-1 and more than double its power.

1953 – the charge for the first thermonuclear transportable air bomb tested on August 12.

1955 – a thermonuclear charge with an innovative atomic compression physical circuit tested on Nevember 22.

1957 – a breakthrough in improving the specific performance of nuclear charges.

1958 – a thermonuclear charge with an improved physical circuit tested, which laid the basis for the development of thermonuclear weapons.

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1961 – an H-bomb of 50 megatons tested at the Novaya Zemlya Test Site on October 30. The feasibility of very high-power nuclear weapons demonstrated.

1962 – the first intercontinental ballistic missile with a VNIIEF-developed thermonuclear warhead adopted for service.

1961–1966 – fundamentals for the development of nuclear charges with a low thistoni-fragment activity as possible elaborated and grounded experimentally. This laid the basis for the construction of -clean- charges.

1966 – a thermonuclear charge tested on October 27; this demonstrated that it was possible to improve fundamentally its specific performance.

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1966–1980 – munitions resistant to casualty effects of nuclear explosions developed for antimissile and air defense

systems. 1967–1981 – physico-mathematical models were expanded

1967–1981 – physico-mathematical models were expanded considerably, physically new problems were resolved and design based on 2-D programs was shifted to. 1970 – the first intercontinental missiles with multiple reentry warheads went into service.

1970–1975 – gas-dynamic experiment procedures and ardware complexes for experimental trials of items as part of full-scale nuclear tests developed. Many of these did not have international analogs.

1971–1975 – compressibility of porous metals (copper, iron, tungstern and some other elements) at terapascal pressures measured.

1970–1980 – generators of ultrahigh magnetic fields with stable characteristics built. Procedures for physical experiments in these fields developed.

Образцы ядерного оружия (экспонаты музея РФЯЦ-ВНИИЭФ)

Specimens of Nuclear Weapons (Exhibits of the VNIIEF Museum)

Первая атомная бомба СССР

Ядерный заряд испытан 29 августа 1949 года на Семи-палатинском полигоне. Мощность заряда до 20 кт троти-лового эквивалента.

USSR's first A-bomb

The nuclear charge was tested at the Semipalatinsk Test Site on August 29, 1949. Yield: up to 20 kt.



Разработка ядерных боеприпасов

Первая ядерная боевая часть для тактической ракеты

Мощность заряда до 10 кт тротилового эквивалента. Дальюсть полета до 32 км. На вооружении с 1960 до 1967 года.



Термоядерный боевой блок для первой межконтинентальной баллистической ракеты с разделяющейся головной частью

Мощность заряда более 2 Мт тротилового эквивалента. Дальность полета до 12 000 км. На вооружении с 1970 до 1979 года.

Development of nuclear munitions

First nuclear warhead for tactical missile

Yield: up to 10 kt. Range: up to 32 km. In service in 1960-1967,



Thermonuclear combat unit for the first intercontinental ballistic missile with a multiple reentry warhead

Yield: over 2 Mt. Range: up to 12,000 km. In service in 1970-1979.



Образцы ядерного оружия (музей РФЯЦ-ВНИИЭФ)

Первая тактическая серийная атомная бомба

Испытана в 1953 году на Семипалатинском полигоне. ющность заряда до 30 кт тротилового эквивалента. На оружении с 1954 до 1965 года.

First serial tactical A-bomb

Tested at the Semipalatinsk Test Site in 1953. Yield: up to 30 kt. In service in 1954–1965.



Первая водородная бомба

итан 12 августа 1953 года на Семи-. Мощность заряда до 400 кт троти-

First H-bomb

The nuclear charge was tested at the Semipalatinsk Test Site on August 12, 1953, Yield: up to 400 kt.



Образцы ядерного оружия (музей РФЯЦ-ВНИИЭФ)

Specimens of nuclear weapons (exhibits of the VNIIEF museum)

Первая ядерная боевая часть для баллистической ракеты среднего радиуса действия

Мощность заряда до 40 кт тротилового эквивален-та. Дальность полета до 1200 км. На вооружении с 1955 до 1960 года.



First nuclear warhead for medium-range ballistic missile

Yield: up to 40 kt. The range is up to 1,200 km. In service in 1955-1960.

Первая термоядерная боевая часть для межконтинентальной баллистической ракеты

Мощность заряда до 3 Мт тротилового эквивалента. Даль-ность полета до 8500 км. На вооружении с 1960 до 1966 года.

First thermonuclear warhead for intercontinental ballistic missile

Yield: up to 3 Mt. Range: up to 8,500 km. In service in 1960-1966.



Самая мощная в мире экспериментальная водородная бомба

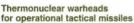
Испытана 30 октября 1961 года на полигоне «Новая Земля» на половинную мощность. Расчетная мощность более 100 Мт тротилового эквивалента.

World's most powerful experimental H-bomb

Tested to half-yield at the Novaya Zemlya Test Site on October 30, 1961. Estimated yield: over 100 Mt.



Термоядерные боевые части для оперативно-тактических ракет





1 — Пернам термондорица боеная часть для отеритать также рассинь. Мощность заряды до 100 км протилогого эксполисти. Дальность полета до 900 км. На опоружения с 1985 до 1986 года. 2 — Термондорица боеная часть для оперательность заряды до 200 км протилогого заряды до 200 км протилогого эксполисти да 1991 с до 19

1 — First thermonuclear warhend for opera-omal tuctical missile. Yield: up to 300 kt. Range: up to 900 km. In ser-ce in 1965.—1986. 2 — Thermonuclear warhend for operational serical missile. 1 - First thermonuclear warhead for opera-

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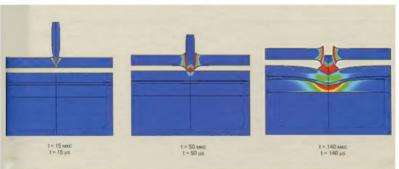
щих необходимую для расчетов информацию о свойствах веществ, огработаны новые технологии проведения расчетно-теоретических работ по основным направениям рательности.
Серьезные успехи достигнуты специалистами институа в следующих областях:

- моделирование на ЭВМ многомерных задач физики ждерного вързыва, лазерной физики в полной замкнутой постановке с одновременным учетом всех ведущих физических процессов;

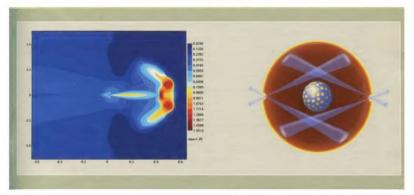
Nuclear weapons activities

The VNIIEF specialists have succeeded in the following

areas:
- computer-aided simulation of multivariative nuclear explosion and laser physics problems in a complete closed statement with all leading physical processes taken into account;
- studies into characteristics of turbulence; it has been for the first time that results of a range of experimental measurements were interpreted through direct numerical simulation of gravitational turbulent mixing using multiprocessor computers:



Ироцесс деформации материала при впешнем воздей А material deformation process at external effects



исследование характеристик турбулентности: впер-путем прямого численного моделирования гравита-нного турбулентного перемешивания на многопро-сорных ЭВМ удалось объяснить результаты ряда ых измерений:

development of multiprocessor computer systems and up-to-date computer networks;

Образцы ядерного оружия (музей РФЯЦ-ВНИИЭФ)

Термоядерный боевой блок для ракеты среднего радиуса действия с разделяющейся головной частью

Thermonuclear combat unit for medium-range missile with a multiple reentry warhead



Суммарная мощность заряда до 400 кт тротилового эквивалента. Дальность полета до 5000 км. На вооружении с 1976 до 1991 года. Снята с вооружения по Договору о РСМД.

Total yield: up to 400 kt. Range: up to 5,000 km. In service in 1976–1991. Decommissioned under the INF Treaty.



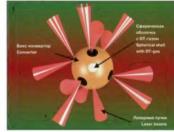


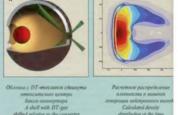


Здание (1) и сферическия кимера взимодействия (2) установки «Искра-5» The «Skru-5» building (1) and spherical interaction chamber (2)

(уровень неодиородности < 3 %) симметрию рентгенов-ского поля на поверхности сферической микромишени и осуществить уникальные исследования сжатия оболочек с DT-толливом в симметричных условях. Проведены экс-периментальные исследования влияния асимметрии обо-лочия и рентгеновского поля на эфектиеность рабо-термоядерной мишени, результаты которых проанализи-рованы с полощью двумер-мых протрами радизиронной газовой динамики, создан-ных в Институте теоретической и математической фи-мик РФЯЦ-ВНИИЭФ. Полу-чено удовлетворительное со-гласие результатов экспери-ментов и расчетного относа-

свидетельствует о хорошей точности расчетного описания двумерного течения высокотемпературной плазмы. На установке «Исхра-5» за-регистрирована генерация рентгеновского излучения с диней вольны 10,6 нм на переходе J = 0 – 1 неоноподоб-





Эксперименты по сжатаю миненей в сфероческих боксих-конверторах в симметричных (I) в иссимметричных (II) услоиих: Target compression experiments under symmetrical (I) and asymmetrical (II) conditions in spherical converters

tions. Experimental studies into the impacts of the shell and X-ray field asymmetry on efficiency of the thermonuclear target operation have been conducted and the respective findings have been reviewed based on 2-D radiation gas-dynamic programs developed at VNIIEF's Institute for Theoretical and Mathematical Physics. Salistactory agreement of the experiment and calculation results has been obtained, which evi-

Принципиальная схема мишени для исследования распространения рентгеновского излучения: 1 - выходное окно; II - внутренний ци-линдр; III - диагностическая щель; 1 - подвес; 2 - лазерные пучки; 3 - кор-пус «Илломинатора»; 4 - шизичдиче-

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Tests of nuclear munitions and test sites



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приталешены всех визиство воборных дружественных в то время нам стран. Войсковое учение под корим «Снежок» в штабных документах изаквалось: -Прорыв подготовленной тактической обороны противника
с грумменныме атомного оружия.

17 сентября ТАСС сообщило: «В соответствии с гланом
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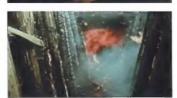
epicenter and in the radioactive cloud pattern. The evercise involved some 45,000 troops and this was the USSR's only large-scale military exercise in conditions of a full-scale nuclear explosion. This unique exercise was commanded by Marshal of the Soviet Union G.K. Zhukov.

The A-bornb was dropped onto the specified target at the Toskoye range by the crew led by Lieutenant-Colonel Vrá. Kutyrchev who had an earlier experience of five A-bornb high tests at the Semipalatinsk test site. The event took place at 9.34 a.m. September 14, 1954.

The work to prepare and conduct the exercise involved the leaders of the Ministry of Medium-Machine Building headed by V.A. Malyshev, leading nuclear weapons scientists including I.V. Kurchatov and K.I. Schedini, leaders of all arms and naval forces, and commanders of all groups of troops, military districts, air defense districts, fleets and flotilias. The exercise was attended by all defense ministers of the USSR's friendly countries at the time. Codenamed -Snezhok-, it was referred to in staff documents as the -Break through the enemy's prepared tactical defense using nuclear weapons-.

A TASS report of September 17 read: 'in keeping with the plan of research and experimental work, the Soviet Union has recently conducted a test of one of the nuclear weapon types. The purpose of the test was to study the effects of a nuclear explosion. Valuable results have been obtained during the test that will help Soviet scientists and engineers with successful solution of the task to provide defense against atomic attack-.





71-й полигон ВВС и войсковые учения на Тоцком полигоне с применением атомной бомбы

В 1950-1951 годах шла подготовка к первому испътатнию в СССР атомной бомбы РДС-3 со сбросом ев с самолета в режиме боевого бомбометания. Такое первое испътание состоялось 18 октября 1951 года на Семипалатинском политоне: авиабомба мощностью да ст была возравана над его опътным полем на высоте 380 м. Так впервава в СССР был произведен воздушный ЯВ. И этот результат, по существу, явился основой для принятия решений об оснащении советских ВБС ядерным оружием: было организовано ядерное производство авиабомб РДС-4 и их носителей - самолетов Ту-4.

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В государственной системе организации и проведенох жизова в крым у (в районе пос. Багерово), который был создан в августе 1947 года. Его личный состав в 1949-1962 годах участвовал в 178 ядерных испытаниях: на СиПт - в 49 ЯИ, на СИПТ - в 84 иде в одном - на Тоцком полигоне, в ходе войсокового учения с применением атомной бомбы в режиме бомбометания с большой высоты.

Тоцком полигоне, в ходе войскового учения с примене-нием атомной бомбы в рекиме бомбометания с большой высоты. На этом полигоне ВВС подвергались также соответствую-щим испытаниям и самолеты — носители атомных бомб, и са-молеты-яворатории: Ту-16, И-28 и Су-76 (на СИП); Ту-16, Ту-35 и ЗМ (на СИПНЗ): отрабатывался Бе-12, который про-ходил испытания как носитель противолодочного эдерного сурхия без привлеченяя к натурным ЯИ. Следует отпъетить, то результаты испедрований воз-действия ЯВ приввен к еыводу о возможности эффек-тивного действия Борухувенных Сил на поле боя в усло-вих применения противником ядерного оружия. В этом контексте следует рассматривать и войсковые учения, проводившиеся на Тоцком артилереийском полигоне в Оренбургской области в сентябре 1954 года, в ходе ко-торых был произведен воздушный ЯВ мощностью 40 кт на высоте 350 м. Такая высота подрыва изделия РДС-3 обеспечивала незначительное радиовативное загрязне-ние территории в эпищентре езрыва и на следе радиова-тивного обласа. В ходе этих учений принимали участие около 45 тыс. военнослужащих. Это были единственные в СССР масштабные войсковые учение в условиях на-турного ЯВ. Столь уникальным учением руководил Мар-шал Советского сюза ГК. Жуков.



71st Air Force test range and military exercises at the Totskoye test range in the A-bomb explosion conditions

In 1950-1951, efforts were underway in the Soviet Union to prepare for the country's first test of the atomic bomb (RDS-3) to be dropped from an aircraft under combat bombing conditions. This test was conducted on October 18, 1951 at the Semipalatinsk test sile. The 42 kt air bomb was detonated at the attitude of 380 m over the site's proving ground. This was the first Soviet air nuclear explosion. The result of the test was essentially the basis for further decisions to arm the Soviet Air Force with nuclear explosion. The result of the test was essentially the basis for further decisions to arm the Soviet Air Force with nuclear explosion. The result de opening of the manufacture of RDS-4 nuclear air bombs and their carrier aircraft (Tu-4).

Within the government nuclear test organization and performance system, this was greatly heliped by the 71st Air Force test range near Baperovo, the Crimean Oblast. The range was set up in August 1947 and, in 1949-1962, its personnel were involved in 178 nuclear tests, including 94 tests at Semipalatinsk, 83 tests at Novaya Zembya and one more test undertaken at the Totskoye range as part a military exercise involving the use of an A-bomb in the high-altitude bombing conditions.

This Air Force test range was also the site for respective tests of nuclear bomb carriers and laboratory aircraft, including 10-16, It-28 and Su-70 (at Semipalatinsk), and Tu-16, Tu-53 and 3M (at Novaya Zembya). These also included tests of the Be-12 aircraft as the carrier of anti-submarine nuclear weapons with no full-scale nuclear explosion involved.

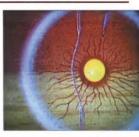
It is worth noting that results of the studies into effects of nuclear explosions for 40 kt was detonated at the altitude of 350 m. Such altitude of the RDS-4 detonation ensured small radioactive contamination of the territory in the explosion

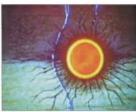


Заместитель министра обороны СССР Г.К. Жуков и министр среднего машиностроган СССР R.А. Мальшев USSR Departy Defense Minister G.K. Zhakov and the USSR Minister of Medium Mackine-Bailding V.A. Malyskev









международным наблюдением и посредством соответствующих международных процедур потенциальные блага от любого мирного применения аденьих варывов были доступны государствам — участникам настоящего пислользуемых варывных устройств для таких участников Договора была такой низкой, как только это возможно, и не включала расхора по их исследованию и усовершенствованию. — Сове практическое волющение иден использования подземных ЯВ в народно-хозяйственных целях в Советском Союзе получим, в частности, благодаре инициативе и широкой поддержих со сторона министра среднего машиностроения Е.П. Слаского.
В короткие сроки были разработаны и созданы специальные вдержие аврары для МЯВ, которые межения в преднежения и температуры и имели заданные проектом уровни энерговыделения. Это подвемных ЯВ для реализации в СССР могих напродного хозяйственных программ, осуществление которых объямымых оредствами было малозфективно. Так 60-е годы XX векя чачали разрабатываться соновые положения Государственной программы № 7 - Ядереные зарывы для народного хозяйстве-тиель. Е.П. Славского профессор А.Д. Захарению, в наручимы руководителем — профессор О.Л. Каровосейм — Робога развереные четыре эксперимента по программе МЯВ.

broad support from the Minister of Medium Machine-Buil Ye.P. Slavsky. Special nuclear charges for peaceful nuclear explor were developed and built within a short period of time. Ti

